

May 6, 1869

The Paris Exposition formally  
opened, featuring the  
just-completed Eiffel Tower

Nov 23, 1869

The first jukebox made its debut  
in San Francisco at the Palais  
Royal Saloon.

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Suez Canal opened

Ferdinand de Lesseps pushed the 100-mile sea-level ditch to the Red Sea in 10 years. It clipped 4,500 nautical miles off the London/Bombay voyage

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The U.S. Congress voted to  
increase U.S. Supreme Court  
to 9 members.

24 MAY 1869

MAJOR. J. W. POWELL;

1ST WHITE MAN

TO EXPLORE GRAND

CANYON BEGAN HIS

TRIP

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Dec 10, 1869

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Women were granted the right  
to vote in the Wyoming Territory.

31 MAY 1869

1ST MEMORIAL  
DAY





1869

## Knights of Labor

U.S. labor union established  
secretly, 1869, at Philadelphia,  
Penn.

1886 - Reached its peak with more  
than 700,000 members

1900 - Became defunct,